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Quick Questions & Answers



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**1. Start Engine Stop (with Advanced Key)**

To start the engine of a vehicle with an automatic transmission, hold the brake pedal down while pressing this button.

**2. MMI® Controls**

MMI controls consist of a control knob with joystick, control buttons and function buttons. Turn the control knob to the left or right and press it to select a menu in the MMI.

**3. Navigation**

Get started with setting destinations and discover more as you become familiar with the interface.

**4. Electromechanical Parking Brake**

Pull the switch up to engage the parking brake. To disengage, place your foot on the brake and push down on the switch.

**5. Climate Controls**

When AUTO is selected, the system maintains your temperature selection by regulating air temperature, fan speed and airflow.

**6. Media/Audi connect® (CD/DVD/SD card)**

Select the MEDIA function to access available media from connected sources (e.g., Bluetooth Audio, SD card, DVD, Jukebox and iPod connected via the Audi Music Interface).

**7. MMI® Display**

The MMI screen displays MMI menus and multi-media information, including Voice Recognition commands, media selections and radio information.

**8. Voice Recognition**

Press the TALK function button on steering wheel to activate Voice Recognition in the MMI.

**9. Driver Information System (DIS)**

The DIS provides important driver information, including trip computer data, outside temperature and vehicle alerts.

**10. DIS Controls**

The DIS is controlled with the multifunction steering wheel controls. To select a menu item, turn and press the thumbwheel.

**11. Cruise Control**

To activate, pull the stalk toward you. Braking or pushing the stalk away slightly will cancel Cruise Control.

**12. Windshield Wipers**

From the OFF position, move the stalk up one click for rain-sensing wipers, up two clicks for low-speed continuous wipe and up three clicks for high-speed continuous wipe.

# Introduction to your A3

# Audi Navigation

## Setting a Destination

Your MMI Navigation system has extraordinary capabilities to enhance your drive with user-definable views, routing selections and more. Get started with setting destinations and discover more as you become familiar with the interface.

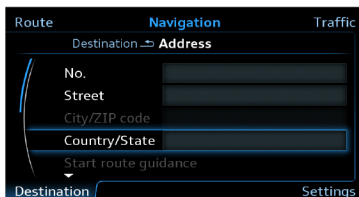
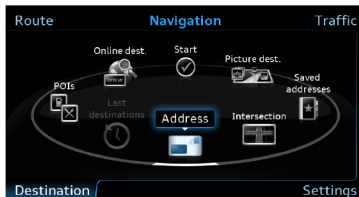
1. Select the NAV function button.
2. Select the Destination control button.
3. Select Address from the Navigation menu.
4. Enter address information.
  - ▶ When entering information for navigation, select the upper right control button for OK. Or, select the List control button and choose from the list of options.
5. Continue by entering the Street number. Enter the City/Zip code if necessary.
6. When complete, select Start route guidance.
  - ▶ Instead of selecting Start route guidance, you can select Calculate alternative routes to see three other possible routes.



Learn more about  
Audi Navigation Settings

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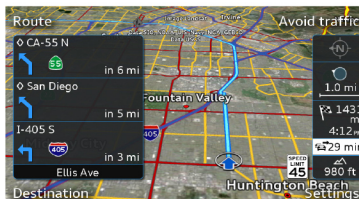
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Selecting NAV multiple times will toggle the system between the NAV menu and the map view.

## SiriusXM® Traffic

- ▶ When route guidance is active, Avoid traffic may appear in the upper right corner of the display.
- ▶ If you select Avoid traffic, it displays traffic information and will show how much time can be saved with an optimized route.
- ▶ The traffic function then provides information about your current route and the optimized alternative routes.



### Note:

Always pay careful attention to the road and do not drive while distracted. Enter destinations while vehicle is stationary away from traffic. When pressing the iNav button, the last navigation announcement will be repeated.

### Important Safety Instructions and Warnings: Navigation & Infotainment

- ▶ The demands of traffic require your full attention.
- ▶ Obey all traffic laws when driving.
- ▶ The route calculated by the navigation system is a recommendation for reaching your destination.
- ▶ Obey traffic lights, stopping restrictions, one-way streets, lane change restrictions, etc.

# Audi connect®

## Wi-Fi Configuration

Audi connect can provide you with Google Earth™, Google Voice™ Local Search, Wi-Fi Hotspot, Online Services (fuel prices, weather information, travel information, personalized feeds and more) along with myAudi Destinations\*.

1. Ensure SIM card (provided by dealer) is present in the media box within the glovebox.
2. Select the TEL function button.
3. Select the Settings control button.
4. Select Network connection (Wi-Fi).
5. Then, select Wi-Fi hotspot and choose Visible.
6. Select a Password. The default password may be used or a new eight character long password can be entered.

*Most devices use encryption type WPA2 as the default.*

7. Select Apply settings to save your password.
8. On your device, search for Wi-Fi networks, select your Audi network and enter your password to establish a connection.

*You may connect up to eight wireless devices at one time.*



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Audi connect Configuration

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Learn more about  
Audi connect Features

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## Google Voice™ Local Search

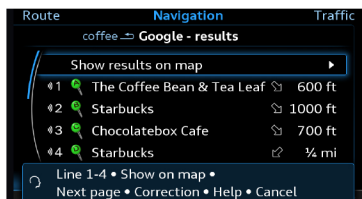
1. Press the TALK button on the steering wheel.
2. After the beep, say “Online Destinations” or “Google Search” followed by a keyword (e.g., bookstore, museum, pizza, etc.).
3. Make your selection from the displayed list:
  - ▶ By speaking the line number.
  - ▶ Or saying “Next page” to view additional results.
4. After the beep, say “Start route guidance”



Learn more about  
Voice Recognition & Online Destinations

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\*Always pay careful attention to the road and do not drive while distracted. Audi connect features and technologies are optional, may require an additional subscription with separate terms and conditions, and should be used only when it is safe and appropriate. The Wi-Fi feature is intended for passenger use only. Audi connect services are only available where there is mobile network coverage. You can obtain more information from your current service provider. Vehicle must be stationary with the parking brake engaged while performing this operation. Cellular connectivity is dependent on available cellular signal. Enter destinations while vehicle is stationary and away from traffic. This feature is available on select trim lines.

### Note:

Refer to your Owner's Manual for additional commands. Cellular connectivity is dependent on available cellular signal.

### Important Safety Instructions and Warnings: Audi connect®

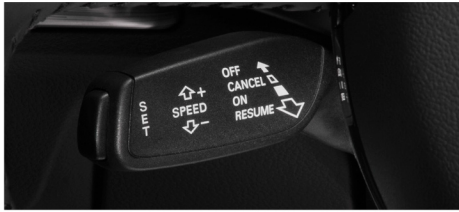
- ▶ To reduce the risk of an accident, only use Audi connect services when road and traffic conditions permit.
- ▶ Use the Audi connect services with a Wi-Fi hotspot only in the rear seat when the vehicle is in motion or only when the vehicle is stationary to reduce the risk of an accident.
- ▶ As the driver, do not allow usage of the Wi-Fi hotspot to distract you from driving, as this could increase the risk of an accident.
- ▶ It is only safe to use laptops and similar mobile devices when the vehicle is stationary because, like all loose objects, they could be thrown around the inside of the vehicle in a crash and cause serious injuries. Store these types of devices securely while driving.
- ▶ Do not use any wireless devices on the front seats within range of the airbags while driving.
- ▶ Read and follow the safety precautions in the separate vehicle's Owner's Manual under “Important information about the front airbag system” in the “Airbag System” chapter.



# Cruise Control

## Activate

To activate, pull the control stalk toward you (ON position).



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Cruise Control

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## Set Cruising Speed

At your desired speed, press the SET button at the end of the stalk. The set speed and a CRUISE symbol are shown in the Driver Information Display.

## Changing Speed

There are two ways to change your speed:

- ▶ Accelerate or decelerate, then press the SET button again.
- ▶ Hold the stalk up or down to increase/decrease speed; release when desired speed is reached.

## Cancel/Resume

1. Press the brake pedal or push the stalk slightly away from you (CANCEL position).
2. The CRUISE light will go off.
3. To resume, pull the stalk toward you; you will return to your set speed.

*Your most recently set speed appears as a small icon in the Driver Information Display. It remains in memory until you turn Cruise Control or your Audi off.*



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### Important Safety Instructions and Warnings: Cruise Control

- ▶ Always pay attention to the traffic around you when the Cruise Control is in operation. You are always responsible for your speed and the distance between your vehicle and other vehicles.
- ▶ For safety reasons, Cruise Control should not be used in the city, in stop-and-go traffic, on winding roads and when road conditions are poor (such as ice, fog, gravel, heavy rain and hydroplaning), because this increases the risk of an accident.
- ▶ Switch the Cruise Control off temporarily when driving in turning lanes, highway exits or in construction zones.
- ▶ Please note that unconsciously "resting" your foot on the accelerator pedal prevents the Cruise Control from braking. This is due to the control system being overridden by the driver's acceleration.
- ▶ If a brake system malfunction such as overheating occurs when the Cruise Control system is switched on, the braking function in the system may be switched off. The rest of the Cruise Control system functions remain active as long as the indicator light is on.
- ▶ You should only return to the saved speed if it is not too fast for the current traffic conditions - risk of an accident!

# Cruise Control

# Climate Control

## 3-Zone Climate Control



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3-Zone Climate Control

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Press any button within the Climate Control to activate the system.

### 1. AUTO Setting

Your Climate Control system will help the cabin maintain your selected temperature. This will automatically regulate the temperature, fan speed and airflow.

- ▶ When the AUTO button is selected, the A/C will come on automatically to help dehumidify the cabin's interior.

### Synchronize Zones

Pressing the AUTO button for two seconds will synchronize the passenger temperature to the same temperature on the driver's side.

### 2. HI/LO

When HI or LO are selected as the desired temperature, the system will run continuously, heating or cooling with the fan at high speed.

### 3. Heated Seats

To warm up more quickly on a cool morning, turn on your heated seats.



### 4. Air Distribution

Direct airflow to defrost, panel and floor vents or a combination by selecting the appropriate airflow button or buttons.

### 5. Recirculation

The recirculation function helps prevent outside air and odors from entering the cabin. It may also be used in conjunction with A/C to cool the cabin more quickly. Do not leave the system in recirculation mode for extended driving.

### 6. Turning the Climate Control system Off

Pressing the FAN button turns the system off.

### 7. Vent Flow

- ▶ Adjust the airflow amount, turn the ridged outer adjustment ring.
- ▶ Stop the airflow, turn the adjusting ring all the way to the right.
- ▶ Adjust the airflow direction, turn the air vent grill insert.

### 8. Cabriolet:

#### Top Open/Closed Climate Settings

When you turn the Climate Control system on, it automatically detects whether the top is open or closed. It will then revert to the last saved setting in that position.



### Important Safety Instructions and Warnings: Climate Control

- ▶ Reduced visibility is dangerous and can cause accidents.
- ▶ For safe driving it is very important that all windows be free of ice, snow and condensation.
- ▶ Completely familiarize yourself with the proper use and function of the heating and ventilation system and especially how to defog and defrost the windows.
- ▶ Never use the windshield wiper/washer system in freezing weather until you have warmed the windshield first, using the heating and ventilation system. The washer solution may freeze on the windshield and reduce visibility.
- ▶ You should not use the recirculation mode for an extended period since no fresh air is drawn in. With the air-conditioning switched off, the windows can fog up, which increases the risk of an accident.
- ▶ Individuals with reduced sensitivity to pain or temperature could develop burns when using the seat heating function. To reduce the risk of injury, these individuals should not use seat heating.

# Climate Control

# Voice Recognition:

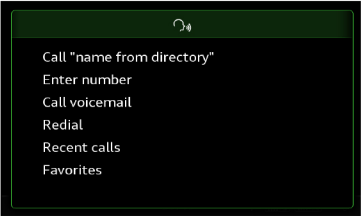
## Call By Name

1. Press the TALK button on the steering wheel. A beep will sound.
  2. Say “**Call**” <Name from directory> (e.g., “**Call John Smith**”).
  3. To confirm the request, say “**Yes**”. The number will be dialed.
- ▶ If multiple numbers are stored for a given contact, the system will ask which number you wish to dial. When calling by name using Voice Recognition, you must say the name as it is stored in your phone book.
  - ▶ Speak clearly in a normal tone. Loud ambient noise or others speaking in the cabin may affect system understanding.



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Voice Recognition Phone  
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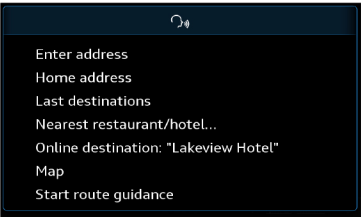
## Enter a Destination

1. Press the TALK button on the steering wheel. A beep will sound.
2. Say “**Enter address**”. (Other commands are available on screen. See Owner’s Manual for complete list of commands.)
3. After the beep, speak the address; for example, “**2024 Main St, Los Angeles, California.**” (Speak street numbers as single digits.) The system will respond with repeating the address for confirmation.
  - ▶ If destination is in another state, say “**Change state**” when prompted to enter address.
4. System will respond, “The list is being loaded,” it will repeat the address and ask if you would like to start route guidance; after the beep, say “**Yes**” and guidance will begin.



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Voice Recognition Navigation  
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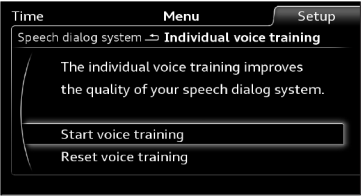
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Refer to your Owner’s Manual for additional Voice Recognition commands.

## Individual Voice Training

1. Press the MENU function button to open the MMI menu.
2. Select Setup control button.
3. Select Speech dialog system.
4. Select Individual voice training.
5. Select Start voice training.



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Note:  
Voice Recognition available on Coupe models only.

**Important Safety Instructions and Warnings: Voice Recognition**  
▶ Direct your full attention to driving. As the driver, you have complete responsibility for safety in traffic. Only use the functions in such a way that you always maintain complete control over your vehicle in all traffic situations.  
▶ Do not use the Voice Recognition system in emergencies because your voice may change in stressful situations. It may take longer to dial the number or the system may not be able to dial it at all. Dial the emergency number manually.

# Voice Recognition



# Bluetooth® Pairing

## Initial Setup

Bluetooth pairing is a one-time procedure. Once paired via Bluetooth, your phone will automatically connect when you start your vehicle and your phone’s contacts automatically synchronize, allowing you to retrieve contacts and make and receive calls through the infotainment system. For more information regarding phone compatibility visit [audiusa.com/bluetooth](http://audiusa.com/bluetooth).

1. Switch ignition to accessories mode.
2. Activate your phone’s Bluetooth function and set to pairing or search mode.
3. Select Audi MMI when it appears on the phone’s screen.
4. Use the MMI control knob to select Yes.
5. Confirm the six-digit PIN displayed matches the PIN displayed on your phone, and select Yes.
6. Select Pair on your phone to complete the pairing process.

- Contacts synchronizing.



- Bluetooth active and network strength bars.

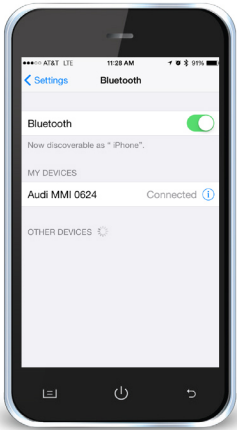


*Some phones may require a response to automatically connect for future connections. Once paired, the Bluetooth symbol appears on the MMI screen along with network strength bars and it will be displayed whenever a paired phone is connected to the infotainment system.*



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Bluetooth Pairing  
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to 38981**

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## Wireless Audio Streaming

When your Bluetooth device is paired to your Audi vehicle, it allows you to stream music wirelessly from your device through the vehicle’s stereo system. (Refer to Bluetooth pairing instructions to pair a device.) To ensure that Bluetooth Audio is enabled on the MMI system\*:

1. Select the TEL function button.
2. Select the Settings control button and choose Bluetooth from the menu.



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Wireless Audio Streaming  
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3. Ensure that the Bluetooth audio player is turned on.
4. Select Bonded Bluetooth devices.
5. Choose your paired device and select it.
6. Select Audio player to connect and your device will be connected.
7. Press the MEDIA function button.
8. Select the Source control button and select device.

- Music tracks can be selected using the PREVIOUS and NEXT arrow buttons.
- Pressing the volume dial will pause audio.



With Bluetooth Audio turned on, the Bluetooth audio player will automatically connect to your device.

When an Apple device that is paired to the Bluetooth system is connected to the Audi Music Interface (AMI), a prompt appears to notify you that the Bluetooth connection has been disabled automatically. When disconnected from the AMI, it will re-establish the Bluetooth connection.



\*Wireless Audio available on MMI Navigation equipped vehicles.

**Note:**  
Bluetooth® Pairing requires compatible device.  
See your phone’s Owner’s Manual for specific Bluetooth activation instructions. Vehicle must be stationary with the parking brake engaged while performing this operation. Once paired, the Bluetooth symbol appears in the MMI® screen along with network strength bars and it will be displayed whenever a paired phone is connected to the infotainment system.

**Important Safety Instructions and Warnings: Bluetooth® Pairing**

- Medical experts warn that cell phones can interfere with the function of pacemakers. Always maintain a minimum distance of 20 centimeters between the cell phone antenna and the pacemaker.
- Do not carry the cell phone in a pocket directly over the pacemaker when the phone is switched on.
- Switch the cell phone off immediately if you suspect it may be interfering with the pacemaker.
- Do not use the Voice Recognition system in emergencies because your voice may change in stressful situations. It may take longer to dial the number or the system may not be able to dial it at all. Dial the emergency number manually.
- Switch your cell phone off in areas where there is a risk of an explosion. These locations are not always clearly marked. This may include gas stations, fuel and chemical storage facilities or transport vehicles, or locations where fuel vapors (such as propane or gasoline vapor in vehicles or buildings), chemicals or large quantities of dust particles (such as flour, sawdust or metal) may be present in the air. This also applies to all other locations where you would normally turn your vehicle engine off.
- The demands of traffic require your full attention.
- Obey all applicable laws regarding use of telephones in vehicles.
- Switch off the telephone where use of cell phones is prohibited. Obey all applicable notices and regulations.



## Indicator Lights

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For additional information on indicator lights, refer to your vehicle's Owner's Manual.

	Central Indicator Light (Pay attention to the additional information in the instrument cluster display)		Electromechanical parking brake		Defective light bulb warning
	Brake malfunction		Hill hold		Headlight range control system
	Electromechanical parking brake		Tire pressure monitoring system		Adaptive light
	Cooling system		TPMS Tire pressure monitoring system		Light/rain sensor
	Engine oil pressure		Adaptive dampers		Active lane assist
	Alternator		EPC Engine control		Transmission
	Front safety belt		Exhaust control system		Turn signals
	Steering		Engine speed limitation		Cruise control system
	Steering lock		Engine oil level		Adaptive cruise control
	Engine start system		Engine oil sensor		Adaptive cruise control
	Engine stops while driving		Engine temperature		Adaptive cruise control
	Transmission malfunction		Battery charge level		Active lane assist
	Adaptive cruise control		Tank system		High beams
	Speed warning		Washer fluid level		Adaptive cruise control
	Electronic Stabilization control (ESC)		Windshield wipers		Audi side assist
	Electronic Stabilization control (ESC)		Steering / steering lock		Transmission
	ESC OFF Electronic Stabilization control (ESC)		Steering lock		Electromechanical parking brake
	ABS Anti-lock braking system (ABS) faulty		Engine start system		
	Safety systems		Convenience key		
	Brake pads		Convenience key		
			Battery in remote control key		